

## REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF NEW TECH ODESSA NEUROSCIENCE STUDENT OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL TO WOODS HOLE, MASSACHUSETTS

The New Tech Odessa Neuroscience Learners are requesting to travel to the Woods Hole Marine Biological Institute in Massachusetts from March 6<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The students traveling will participate in a week-long course at the Marine Biological Laboratory. This research experience aligns tightly to the TEKS for the Neuroscience course that the seniors are enrolled in, and that the juniors will be taking next school year. In addition, the knowledge and skills gained from this learning experience will include things that are applicable to college and career readiness including: research, writing, oral communication, collaboration, presentation skills, time-management, goal-setting, future careers, and interacting with professionals in a respectful and appropriate way. The group will consist of 16 students and 4 chaperones. The cost of this trip is completely funded by a grant from the Marine Biological Laboratory.